

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Edeltraud Hagemeister et al.

Serial No.: 10/534,331

Filed: August 23, 2005

For: TAYLOR REACTOR FOR  
SUBSTANCE TRANSFORMATION

Group Art Unit: 1796

Examiner: William K. Cheung

Confirmation No.: 7934

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is being submitted by EFS-Web as an eFiled Response, addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on June 3, 2009.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR § 1.116**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of April 3, 2009, wherein pending claims 1-20 were finally rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to have the response period extended the number of months necessary to render the attached communication timely if a petition is required. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment and/or extension of time.

Please refer to the claims and remarks as set forth below.